

## STUDENT RESOURCE PAGE

National History Day website

<http://nationalhistoryday.org/>

### **How to create a thesis statement:**

*These universities are well-respected for their information on writing. Take a look at these pages for useful information.*

- <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/545/1/> - Purdue University
- [http://www.dartmouth.edu/~writing/materials/student/ac\\_paper/develop.shtml](http://www.dartmouth.edu/~writing/materials/student/ac_paper/develop.shtml) -Dartmouth University
- <http://www.writing.northwestern.edu/thesis.html> -Northwestern University

### **How To Choose a Topic:**

*These sites provide some guidelines for how you should consider a topic before choosing it for research.*

- <http://www.historyguide.org/guide/topic.html>
- <http://libguides.uis.edu/content.php?pid=55596&sid=485377>
- [http://guides.library.fullerton.edu/historians\\_toolbox/unit1/Unit1.htm](http://guides.library.fullerton.edu/historians_toolbox/unit1/Unit1.htm)

### **How To Write Internal Citations:**

*These sources will lay out, in very simply terms, what an internal citation looks like and how to cite different sources in your project.*

- “Writing Internal Citations” – Mr. Folsom
- [http://writing.wisc.edu/Handbook/DocMLACitation\\_Format.html](http://writing.wisc.edu/Handbook/DocMLACitation_Format.html)- Website lays out different ways to cite internally from the MLA guidelines.

### **How To Take Research Notes:**

*This PowerPoint is one that we showed in class and should provide you with some insight into how to organize all of the information that you will find in your research with notes!*

- Taking Effective Research Notes PowerPoint.

*\* If you have any other questions, please feel to come and speak with us (Andrew and Aimee). We have plenty of other resources and are here to help you excel with your research and projects!*